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Two lovely children of Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Patten of Bossier City are (left), daughter Trina, born Sept. 13, and her older brother, Bart Daman. Dewitt last attended NSC in 1953, and is presently a real estate broker.



Tony Hilton, 3 months old, and Robby Taylor, 2½ years, are first cousins. Tony is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill G. Hilton of Melder, and Robby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Poul Taylor of New Orleans. Mrs. Hilton is the former Beth Barge, B. A., '58, and Mrs. Taylor is the former Evelyn Barge, B. A., '57. Mr. Taylor, also an NSC graduate, received his degree in '57.



New officers who were elected by the Calcasieu-Cameron unit of the Northwestern State College Alumni Association at the group's annual fall dinner meeting, held at the Rosteet School Cafeteria November 9, are pictured above. They are (left to right): W. J. Whiteard, Miss Betty L. Harless, Mrs. Margaret B. Benoit, and President C. M. McSwain.

CUPID'S DOINGS

Robert W. Wilson, B.S. '56, in industrial education, and senior nursing student Jerry Lynn LaCour were married on March 11 in New Orleans. Wilson is gas-measurement technician for Tennessee Gas Transmission Company. They are making their home in Westwego—the address, P. O. Box 184.

On Sunday afternoon, May 22, Miss Montrée June Smith, B.S. '60 in Nursing, was married to George Williams Ritchey in the First Baptist Church, Mansfield, with the bridegroom's father officiating. They are residing at 216 East Drive, Baton Rouge.

Dolores Jean Young, May nursing graduate, and Raymond L. Sawyer, '59, were married on June 11 and are living at 424 East Hiram St., Atlanta, Tex.

St. Mary's Catholic Church in Jena was the scene of the July 2 wedding of Grace-Marie Neid and Lt. Joseph Levy Melancon, Jr., '50, formerly of Natchitoches. They are living at the Greenville Air Force Base, Greenville, Miss.

Miss Janelle Wyatt, '60, and Tech graduate David Malcolm Self were married July 16 in the Springhill Baptist Church.

Miss Betty Jo Thaxton, '56, was married to Larry Abraham McKee on July 23 in the First Methodist Church of Baton Rouge. They reside at 3076 Nicholson Drive, Apt. B, Baton Rouge. Mrs. McKee is continuing her teaching career.

Ann Dordan, '60, and Stanley Rambin, '58, attended Summer graduate school after being married on June 7 in a Shreveport church.

Glenda McRae of Leesville, a Summer graduate, and Venton R. Coburn, B.S. '59, were married August 4 in the Calvary Baptist Church in Natchitoches. They reside in Lufkin, Tex., where Venton is employed by the post office and where Glenda will teach.

Rosemary Johnston of Logansport became the bride of William Morris Fletcher on August 5. They reside at 446 Herndon Ave. in Shreveport. Rosemary holds degrees from both NSC, B.S. '56, and Stephen F. Austin. Her bridegroom is an alumnus of Tech.

Ann Strebeck, a student from Belmont, and William L. Nichols, Jr., B.A. '60, from Shreveport, exchanged vows on Friday August 12, in the Belmont Baptist Church. They live in Lake Providence, where Bill teaches in high school.

Mary Elizabeth Sanders, B.A. '60, and Tommy Brooks Powell, both of Vivian, were married on August 12 in the First Baptist Church of Vivian. Both are teaching in Shreveport.

MRS. B. B. DAVIS (Ora Baldridge), 2-year graduate of 1910, B. A. '39, of Vinton, sends a check to our Foundation, with this note: "I am glad to send a small contribution. I owe Northwestern State College so much." Mrs. Davis is a retired teacher.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

(Games Scheduled for Months of January and February)

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
Jan. 4	*Northeast State	Monroe	8:00 p. m.
Jan. 7	*Louisiana Tech	Natchitoches	8:00 p. m.
Jan. 10	*McNeese State	Lake Charles	8:00 p. m.
Jan. 27	*Southeastern	Hammond	7:30 p. m.
Jan. 28	Nicholls State	Thibodaux	8:00 p. m.
Jan. 31	Louisiana College	Natchitoches	7:30 p. m.
Feb. 2	*Northeast State	Natchitoches	7:30 p. m.
Feb. 6	*McNeese State	Natchitoches	7:30 p. m.
Feb. 8	Centenary	Shreveport	8:00 p. m.
Feb. 11	*Louisiana Tech	Ruston	8:00 p. m.
Feb. 14	*Southwestern	Natchitoches	7:30 p. m.
Feb. 16	Louisiana College	Pineville	8:00 p. m.
Feb. 19	Mississippi Southern	Hattiesburg	8:00 p. m.
Feb. 23	*Southwestern	Lafayette	8:00 p. m.
Feb. 25	Centenary	Natchitoches	8:00 p. m.
Feb. 28	*Southeastern	Natchitoches	8:00 p. m.

*Conference Game



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1939 Championship Team To Be Honored

Ex-Demon Gridders To Be Recognized; Shreveport, Feb. 10

The fourth annual Sports Awards Banquet for the Ark-La-Tex area, sponsored by the Shreveport Chamber of Commerce, will honor Northwestern State College's 1939 championship football team.

Honors are to be presented at the banquet set for 8 p.m., Feb. 10, in the Crystal Ballroom of the Washington-Youree Hotel in Shreveport.

The 1939 Demons were champions of both the Louisiana Intercollegiate Conference and the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Association. They compiled a perfect 10-0 record and had only two touchdowns scored against them.

Head coach for the squad was Harry Turpin. Assistant coach was Joe Aillet. Athletic Director was H. L. Prather. Trainer was Paul Marx.



Northwestern State College's 1939 Championship football team will be honored at the fourth annual Sports Award Banquet set for Shreveport. Here are members of that undefeated squad: left to right (first row) Eddie Schumacher, E. H. Gilson, Wilbur Kirkpatrick; (second row) Hampden Murrell, Roy Gentry, Joe Miciotto, Rolond Miguez, Parker Wiggins, Edmund Saucier, Travis Kendrick, David Bramlett, Willie Block, Woodrow Miller; (third row) Frank Eason, John Blolock, E. L. Kelly, E. D. Kelly, V. A. Dunhom, John Renwick, J. W. Gaspord, Ralph Priest, Willard Jackson, Rupert Boucher, Ted Wright; (fourth row) C. L. Stornes, Frank Pruitt, J. D. Stockstill, H. A. Marron, Jimmy Steen, Bud Simpson, Theron Moddox, Al Subot, Cowley Price, George Martin, Punjab Wright; (fifth row) Sam Scurria, Harry Creighton, Charles Kelley, Ernest Wright, Solly Myer, Ernest Tyler, Gus Boucher, Pot Nation, Tom George.

Frank Parker Speaks At Graduation Rites; Registration Slated

The annual mid-year commencement exercises were held at Northwestern State College Wednesday, Jan. 25, in the Fine Arts Auditorium.

Frank O. Parker, a member of the graduating class, was principal speaker. Parker, an English major, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Parker of Simpson.

Registration for the spring semester will be held January 31 and February 1.

Summer Institutes in Science and in Counseling Awarded

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Northwestern State College has been accepted for a National Science Foundation Summer Institute for high school teachers of general science. The NSF grant for the operation of the nine-week summer institute, June 6-August 5, 1961, totals \$65,600.

Dr. George A. Stokes, associate professor of geography and geology, who has been named institute director, stated that the object of the institute is to improve the subject matter mastery of participating teachers in the field of general science and physics.

Approximately 50 junior and senior high school teachers from Louisiana and surrounding states will be selected for participation in the program. Participants will receive stipends of \$675 with an additional dependent allowance of \$135, and \$50 for travel expense.

Department Receives Grant for Research

The Department of Bacteriology at Northwestern State College has received a research grant in excess of \$40,000 from the National Institutes of Health.

The grant will be used in research entitled "The Brucellacidal Activity of Bovine Serum" over a three-year period. This will allow continuation of research in the field of brucellosis, a disease commonly known as undulant fever in man and Bangs disease in cattle.

"The department is pleased to receive this grant as it allows continuation of research and also because it provides for six research assistantships for undergraduate and graduate students," Dr. R. J. Bienvenu, head of the Bacteriology Department and chief investigator, stated.

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Dr. Raymond A. McCoy, associate professor of education and psychology at NSC, met in Dallas on Jan. 16 to complete negotiations with the U. S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare for a National Defense Counseling and Guidance Training Institute to be held during the summer session of 1961.

"The receiving of this Institute is most gratifying as it represents the culmination of work in the field of guidance and counseling over a long period of time and especially the more concentrated effort made during the past six years that Dr. McCoy has been on the NSC staff," Dr. Kyser said.

According to Dr. McCoy, Institute director, announcement of Institute details and requirements for participation will be made in the near future.

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ALUMNI FAMILY OF THE MONTH



Dr. Bernard Nelken (deceased), was a 1916 graduate of Normal who later became a practicing physician in Baton Rouge. Because of illness, it was impossible to get a recent photograph of Miss Gussie.

Samuel Nelken and Sarah Abrams came to this country from Poland, but did not know each other until they met in New Orleans. They were married in the Crescent City and decided to settle in Natchitoches to be near Mr. Nelken's brother, Sol, who was then in business at Provencal.

Mr. Sam Nelken was for many years a very successful merchant and planter in the city and parish of Natchitoches. Twelve children were born to them, six daughters and six sons, eight of whom finished at the Louisiana State Normal School, now Northwestern State College. The sisters are: Augusta, Fannie, Jetty, Lillian, Bessie (deceased), and Miriam; the brothers: Irion, Bernard (deceased), Abe (deceased), Sylvan, Emanuel (deceased), and William or "Buddy" (deceased).

The combined teaching experience of four sisters and one brother who selected teaching as their life's work is in excess of one hundred and fifty years.

"Miss Gussie," as she was known by her students, graduated from Louisiana Normal in 1894 and later received a BS degree from Columbia University. Her early teaching experience was at New Iberia, Lake Charles, and the University of Arkansas. This was followed by several years as supervisor in the elementary grades of Northwestern State College, a position from which she retired in 1936. She was a member of Delta Kappa Gamma and has served the Northwestern State College Alumni Association as president, an honor received by few women. Through Miss Gussie's influence and leadership, the old Lemee home was restored and is now being used by the women's clubs as a meeting place. It is also a tourist attraction.

Miss Fannie Nelken graduated in 1896 and spent the next few



The Nelken brothers and sisters recently posed for the above photograph. Pictured, left to right, are (front row): Jetty (Mrs. H. H. Pressburg), Lillian, Fannie, Irion; (back row) Sylvan, Miriam.

years teaching at Cheneyville and the old Natchitoches Grammar School. She spent practically all of her active life as secretary of the State Board of Health, a position from which she retired in 1941, and is now living in the family home in Natchitoches. Much of her time is still devoted to club work in the city and state. She has served the Eastern Star as its highest officer, Worthy Grand Matron of the State of Louisiana.

The third sister, Jetty, now Mrs. H. H. Pressburg of Alexandria, received a two-year certificate in 1903 and taught four years in Alexandria before her marriage. Her daughter, Joan, attended Northwestern in 1935, and is now teaching in Alexandria Junior High School. Her son, Dr. Bernard Samuel Pressburg, is a professor of chemical engineering at LSU.

Miss Lillian Nelken, the next in line to attend Normal, received the two-year certificate in 1908. She spent several years teaching first grade at Plaquemine and DeRidder, and as a primary supervisor in Acadia Parish. After retirement

in 1948, she likewise has been interested in club work and in Delta Kappa Gamma.

Miss Miriam Nelken followed in her sisters' footsteps and received her diploma from old Normal in 1910, subsequently receiving the BS and MA degrees from Columbia University. Her varied teaching experience included primary work at Patterson and Lafayette and two years in private schools in New York and Staten Island. The major portion of her tenure as a teacher was spent as an elementary supervisor at NSC until her retirement in 1947. At one time she was a very active member of Delta Kappa Gamma and the Louisiana Teachers Association. Since retirement much of her time has been devoted to the Natchitoches Garden Club and the Louisiana Historical Association.

Irion Nelken was the first son to attend Louisiana Normal, graduating in 1913. He taught school one year at Reeves, but soon decided that teaching was not his vocation. He entered LSU, where he received a BS degree in sugar chemistry. He spent some time in Cuba as a sugar chemist, then re-

turned home to assist in managing the Nelken estate.

Dr. Bernard Nelken (deceased) graduated in 1916 and spent one year teaching in Winnfield, resigning to enter the service of his country during World War I. After his discharge, he studied medicine and graduated with the M.D. degree from Tulane University. He was a successful physician in Baton Rouge for a number of years until his untimely death in 1951. His wife, the former Mary Oden of Arcadia, was also graduated from the old Normal, and now lives at 1459 Perkins Road, Baton Rouge.

Sylvan Nelken was the youngest member of the family and received his two-year diploma in 1920. He later received the BS degree in agriculture from Southwestern Louisiana Institute and the MS from Louisiana State University. In the summer of 1941 he did further graduate work at Iowa State College. A major portion of Sylvan's early teaching was in South Louisiana—one year at Houma, in Terrebonne Parish; two years at Iota and eight years at Ebenezer, Acadia Parish. He was on the faculty at Southwestern from 1931-1933 as a member of the Agriculture Department. A two-year leave of absence from SLI was granted him by the State Board of Education in order that he might organize the Farmers Home Administration in Louisiana. After this service was performed, he was called to head the Agriculture Department of Northwestern State College, where he served well until 1958, when he was made Dean of Administration, which position he still holds. He, also, is a past-president of the Northwestern State College Alumni Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelken (the former Lennie Dixon of near Baton Rouge) have reared a fine family of three daughters and one son. Betty, now Mrs. John Woodyard, lives with her family at Wurt Air Force Base in Michigan, where her husband is a colonel. Sam, who received his degree from NSC in 1951, studied law at LSU and is now a practicing attorney in Natchitoches. His wife, the former Colleen Lancaster Bennett (BS, 1947) is a member of the NSC Physical Education faculty. Catherine Nelken (BA, 1945) is now Mrs. Rene Bienvenu, wife of the head of NSC's new Bacteriology Department. Dorothy Ann, now Mrs. Thomas Owen, is living in Austin, Texas, where her husband is finishing his doctoral work this

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Judy, age three and one-half, and Charles, age 12, are the children of Col. and Mrs. Oris B. Johnson, recently assigned to duty in Wiesbaden, Germany, after having spent the last year in Landan, England. When their home burned in 1950, they lost all their copies of the Patpourri. They would so like to have one from the year "Obie" graduated (1939), and one from the year Mrs. Johnson (Katherine Shaw) graduated (1942). Anyone who has an extra copy is asked to write them at this address: Col. Oris B. Johnson, 5025A; I. G., Hqs. USAF; APO 633; New York, N. Y.

Faize Mahfouz Is Principal Speaker At Annual Demon Football Banquet

Faize Mahfouz, head football coach at Eunice High School for the past 22 years, was the principal speaker at the annual banquet honoring the Northwestern State College football and cross country teams.

Coach Mahfouz was a standout quarterback for the Demons in the thirties and graduated from NSC in 1939. He has been at his Eunice position since that time.

A large gathering was on hand for the event, held on Wednesday, Jan. 11, in the College's new St. Denis Cafeteria.

Billy West of the Natchitoches Athletic Association was Master of Ceremonies. Norm Fletcher of Natchitoches pronounced the invocation and benediction. Dr. Guy W. Nesoin, head of the Department of Health and Physical Education, introduced special guests.

Head football coach and athletic director Jack Clayton introduced the 1960 squad and announced the selection of permanent captains Jerry Didier and Don Deen. The following special awards were presented:

Best Defensive Lineman, Robert Powell; Best Defensive Back, Larry Crow; Best Offensive Lineman, Jerry Didier; Best Offensive Back, J. M. Maricelli; Best Trainer, Jerry Fowler; Most Improved

Player, John Odom; Varsity Scholastic Award, Nick Norcia; Freshman Scholastic Award, Bill Hyams; Coaches' Trophy, Robert Marshman.

End Jackie Smith was selected for the Most Valuable Player Award. Gulf States Conference Players of the Week awards went to Maricelli, Didier, Octave Bernard, and Jimmy Aldredge. GSC Coaches' All-GSC award was presented to Didier.

Louisiana Sportswriters Association certificates for All-GSC berths were presented to Didier, Jerry Wren, Aldredge, Maricelli, and Bernard. Making the presentations was Bill Baker, president of the LSWA.

A special award was presented by Coach Woodrow Turner of Byrd High School in Shreveport to Didier, and Ralph Conrad received the Shreveport Boosters' Club award from Bob Wilson for top performances by a Demon in games played in Shreveport.

Coach Walter Ledet presented awards to the following members of the Demon cross country team—Micky Sullivan, Paul Simmons, Jerry McGraw, and Sam Jean-sonne.

President John S. Kyser of NSC addressed the banquet audience, and the program was concluded

ALUMNI HERE N' THERE

Dietitians who were honored at the Silver Anniversary Banquet of the Louisiana Dietetics Association, held at the Petroleum Club in Lafayette, Friday, Nov. 18, were:

MRS. NORMA FAYE JOHNSON FRANK, '56, dietitian at Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas; MRS. NELDA WILLET ELLIOTT, '58, dietitian at Our Lady of the Lake Hospital, Baton Rouge; and MISS DELMA DON-AHOE, '59, dietitian at Conway Hospital, Monroe.

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MERLE FLAGG WARREN, graduate of 1946, has been head of the Department of Special Education at the University of Southwestern Louisiana for the past three years.

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SHELLEY RICHARDSON, BS '60, of Hackberry, visited the campus during his Christmas vacation. He is studying for a degree in religious education at the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas. He told us that there are five recent NSC graduates studying there. The others are: JAMES B. SLACK, '60, of Plain Dealing; JUNE DEVILLE, '60, of Easton; EDWINA THEDFORD, '60, of Many; and ROMA DIANA ANTHONY, BS (Nursing) '60, of Ida.

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MRS. LEWIS C. PRICE (Katheryn Jobe, '38) lives at 260 Belmore Road, Balwyn, Victoria, Australia. Her husband is on a loan assignment to the Standard

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year in electrical engineering at the University of Texas.

For the past 60 years and more, the Nelken family have made, and are still making, a tremendous contribution to education in Louisiana. They have also meant much to the city of Natchitoches by their constant interest in its welfare.

with presentation of awards to cheerleaders Ruth Richardson, Patsy Lowderback, Barbara Dowden, Jerry Ainsworth, Roy Hyatt, Jack Brossette, and Pat Malmstrom.



Navy Ensign Randal J. Knatt (B.S. '60) is serving with a training squadron in Kingsville, Texas. He made his first solo flight in a jet aircraft in November. His wife is the former Frances K. Wright, BS in Nursing, '58.

Vacuum Co. Their son, Bennie, age 9, is with them.

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BOBBY CAROL DOWNS (BS, '56) of 2712 Northwood, Alexandria, received her MS degree in Nursing from the University of Maryland in August of this year. She is now working at the Central Louisiana State Hospital in Pineville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Beauchamp (RUTH CARTER, BS in Nursing, 1959) live at 1603 Ravey, Austin, Texas. When Dan finishes at the University of Texas, they will both work on master's degrees. She plans to teach nursing eventually.

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DOROTHY McGEE MILLER (BS, '57) is managing her father's furniture business in Bogalusa until he has fully recovered from a recent operation. Her assignment is a far cry from teaching on the faculty of the Baton Rouge Unit of the NSC School of Nursing!

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Dr. John W. Spence, husband of ALPHA LEAH GREMILLION SPENCE (3-yr. Nursing, '56) is on the staff of one of the hospitals in Philadelphia. The Spences have two fine boys.

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LINDA CHANEY LAMBERT (BS, Nursing, '60) is working in the Washington County Hospital, Fayetteville. Her husband, Jack, is enrolled in the University of Arkansas School of Business.



From the ARCHIVES

Office of E. E. Buckner

June 29, 1886

Business being taken up, it was moved and seconded that positions as teachers be tendered Miss Mary Washington. Emma Oswalt, for the Normal department, and on the Practice department to Miss Della Ezernack and Miss Sallie Phillips and Miss Hellen Hughes, and in case of their acceptance the President is hereby authorized to contract with them on such terms as may be acceptable to this board.

On motion duly seconded resolved that E. E. Shieb, President of the faculty is requested to make during the summer vacation inquiry for and provisionally engage the services of two additional teachers qualified for the work required. He is requested to give the preference to male teachers. And to report to this board his action.

Resolved that Dr. E. E. Shieb be authorized to contract for material and labor for the repair of the North and West lines of fence around the school property.

Resolved that a contract be made by the executive committee for the construction of an additional privy South of the hotel building, and for the removal of the partition walls and one gallery. Also for the repair of the cottage known as the Priests house, also for such painting as may be found necessary.

The secretary was authorized to insert the name of Miss Nellie Hughes in the resolution passed at our last meeting selecting teachers for the practice department of the school, she be elected as one of them, namely Miss Della Ezernack, Miss Sallie E. Phillips and Miss Nellie Hughes.

At a meeting of the board held at the office of E. E. Buckner October 9, 1886, were present D. Pierson, President, H. B. Walmsley, T. P. Chaplin, E. E. Buckner. Business was taken up and proceeded with.

Mr. L. Caspari moved that the salaries be fixed as follows in accordance with the recommendation of Dr. Shieb, Dr. E. E. Shieb \$2000, Miss Rousseau \$1200,

Prof. Smith \$1100, Miss Oswalt \$600, Miss Phillips \$600, Miss Washington \$600, Miss Ezernack \$600, Miss Hughes \$600 and that these teachers be under employ of the board by the year. The above rates are per annum. (carried)

Communications from Dr. Shieb and an answer were read. Petitions from students, teachers and citizens were read.

The board unanimously ordered the following letter to be sent to Dr. E. E. Shieb, President of the faculty, to Wit. The board declines to accept your resignation as tendered, or to accede to your proposition to virtually deliver into the hands of the President of the faculty of the State Normal School the powers which the Legislature of the State has conferred specially on the board of which the President of the faculty is ex officio member.

At a meeting held April 21, 1887 at the office of E. E. Buckner were present D. Pierson, President, T. P. Chaplin, Secretary, L. Caspari and E. E. Buckner. Business was taken up as follows: Be it resolved that the thanks of this board be extended to Mr. J. A. Morris of New Orleans, Louisiana for his handsome donation of books to the reading room of the State Normal school, and for his liberal advances of money without interest to the Treasurer of this board on the state warrants issued to the said institution.

And be it further resolved that the board of administrators of the State Normal school accepts with additional thanks the liberal offer of Mr. J. A. Morris to make to the school an individual and purely gratuitous donation of the sum of five thousand dollars annually.

At a meeting held July 12, 1887 at the office of H. B. Walmsley, were present D. Pierson, E. E. Buckner, T. P. Chaplin and L. Caspari. Business was taken up in executive session.

Resolved that H. B. Walmsley, Treasurer of this board of administrators of the State Normal school is hereby removed, and J. A. Ducourneau is hereby elected and appointed to act in that capacity from this date.

Cupid's Doings

The First Presbyterian Church in Greely, Colo., was the scene of the ceremony uniting in marriage Gora Bell Williams and HARRY LANE MILEY, BA, '53. He was graduated with an MA degree from Colorado State College in August.

Marriage vows were spoken Aug. 13 in the Central Baptist Church of Springhill by DELORES BYRD and KENNETH WAYNE IVY, both members of the May, 1960, graduating class at NSC.

Aug. 13 was also the wedding day of MARIETTA HAMMOCK, NSC student, and BILLY-JACK BOOTH, a January, 1960, graduate. He is teaching at Alexandria Junior High School, and Marietta is continuing her studies at NSC.

Miss Elizabeth Anne Snellgrove, a Centenary College graduate, and TERRY WALLACE BOOTY, BA, '58, were married Aug. 14 in the First Methodist Church of Plaquemine.

SYLVIA ANN CARR, BS (Nursing) '59, and William David Jackson were married Aug. 27 in Shreveport at St. John Berchmans Catholic Church.

In Ruston on Aug. 27, MINA ANN STEPHENSON, (BS Nursing) '60, and Perry Lee Kirkham exchanged vows in the Barnett Springs Baptist Church.

Two '59 graduates were united in marriage in Hargis in the Baptist Church when GLENDA LORENE JONES and KENNETH EARL LANTZ spoke their vows Sept. 3. They are making their home in Alabama, where Kenneth is a graduate student at Auburn University.

MILDRED DOLORES ROGERS, BS '57, and Glen Taylor Caldwell were married in September. They live in Shreveport.

Residing in Ruston after their marriage Sept. 1, are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robert Smith. She is the former KAREN DEAN STONE, BS (Nursing) '59.

JACQUELINE ANN NAYLOR, BS (Nursing) '60, and Louis David Howard are making their home in Baton Rouge since their marriage Sept. 11 in the First Methodist Church in Bossier City.

VIRGINIA LEE WALDRON, BS (Nursing) '60, and Dennis A. Dillingham were married in August and are now living in Eden, New York.



The Shreveport NSC Boosters' Club inaugurated an award to be presented annually to the Demon varsity grid senior who has been the standout performer in games played in Shreveport during his collegiate career. Halfback Ralph Conrad, the Outstanding Back in the State Fair Classic of 1959, was presented the first trophy at the recent grid banquet.

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